

## YOUTHFUL ROBBER CONFESSES CRIME

Marvin W. Hamby Tells How  
He Dumped \$20,145 in  
Gold From Car.

## OPERATES BROTHER

Breaks Down After Re-  
ceiving "Third Degree" by  
Railroad Detectives.

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Dec. 15.—Marvin Hamby, the 22-year-old express messenger whose car on the Santa Fe was loaded with \$20,145 in gold near here last night, broke down and confessed he had dumped the gold with the aid of his 16-year-old brother, Melvin. The money, which had been hidden by the boys in a house, was recovered with the exception of \$200, which was found in Melvin's room. Both brothers are in jail.

The robbery was committed last Monday night. After telling a story of an attack by two bandits who had laid him out with a blow on the head, the messenger was taken to a hospital, where he shammed injury so successfully that not until yesterday was he suspected. Then he was brought here and today was subjected to a "third degree" for five hours by railroad express detectives.

**Breaks Down.**  
Hamby finally broke down and threw his head over his hand and confessed, "Oh, it's all over."

He was told where the money was, how he had conceived the plan of robbery and how he had carried it out.

His confession Marvin shouldered the responsibility for the theft, declaring that although Melvin had taken the gold when he had thrown them the train and buried them, the latter had done everything under instruction.

When my car was to carry a heavy load of gold to the First National Bank at Salt Lake, I said to Melvin, "So I posted Melvin at the junction with instructions to take the gold and shovel it into the tracks, three miles from Bakersfield, and head off the bags of gold."

**Head on Trunk.**  
When I bumped my head against a trunk to make people believe I had been robbed by a bandit and just before the trunk was thrown into the tracks, I bound myself and foot and rooted my head under the trunk and trunked myself. I was lying like that for five hours and a constable came into my car.

Two hours after that they would have found me dead until excitement subsided and the search that was made by county, city and railroad officials had been given up.

I am 22 years of age. He had been an express messenger on the Sunset for nearly a year.

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## STAGNATION IN THE NAVY IN THE FUTURE

No Chance for Junior Officers  
to Reach the Top, According  
to Rear Admiral's Report.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—As a memory of the historic past, Rear Admiral Andrews, chief of the bureau of navigation, would give the American dream of the future the names of the memorable vessels of the early days of the republic. The law now requires the christening of battleships in honor of the states. Admiral Andrews, in his annual report made public today, suggests the revival of such names as Ranger, first ship commanded by Paul Jones; Alfred, first vessel to fly the American flag; Niagara, flagship of Perry on Lake Erie; and Bonhomme Richard, Constitution, Constellation, Congress and Franklin, all battle-scarred relics.

The American navy had a substantial growth both in material and personnel during the last fiscal year, according to the report of Admiral Andrews. The fleet of warships was increased by 118,522 tons, comprising seven battleships, two armored cruisers, and sixteen smaller vessels, while to the personnel there was added 23 officers and 263 enlisted men.

Unless something is done to redistribute the present force of officers in the various grades there is certain to be in the near future a terrible condition of stagnation in the admiral's report. The prospects are that a junior lieutenant would be fourteen years in that grade and would not become a commander until fifty-eight years of age, leaving only four years before retirement.

The navy department is about to submit to congress a complete scheme for the creation of a naval reserve which will double our naval force in time of war.

## CONGRESS TO TAKE RECESS THIS WEEK

Big Fight Expected to 'De-  
velop Over the Shepard-  
Kenyon Measure.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—The main inquiry of the "money trust" investigation—that into the alleged concentration of money and credits in the hands of a few financiers of New York—will begin tomorrow when the Pajo committee of the house resumes its hearings.

Bankers from New York and outlying cities and towns have been subpoenaed to answer as to the extent of New York's control over the bank deposits of the nation, and the extent to which a few men may control the banking activities of New York.

Efforts will be made to hasten conclusion of the trial of Judge Robert W. Archibald in the senate, but it is not expected that the trial's attorneys will close their case this week.

Appropriation bills will hold the floor in both houses until the Christmas recess Thursday night. The Indian postoffice and fortification appropriation bills in the house, and the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bills in the senate will be pushed as rapidly as possible in the hope that they can be passed before adjournment. The senate appropriations committee will report the last measure back to the senate early in the week, and Chairman Warren of that committee will ask the senate to pass it before adjournment Thursday.

The senate has agreed to take up the Shepard-Kenyon bill prohibiting shipments of liquor into prohibition states, immediately after the opening of the session tomorrow.

No indication has been given of the fight that may develop over the bill. An effort will be made by Senator Kenyon to keep it before the senate as the "unfinished business," and to secure final action on it this week.

Hearings before the campaign expenditure investigation committee will be resumed Tuesday. William R. Hearst, former Senator from Ohio and a number of other witnesses have been asked to appear during the week. Much of the committee's investigation will center about the political activities of the Standard Oil company, as revealed by John D. Archibald and the Archibald letters first made public by Mr. Hearst.

## MAY REFUSE TO CONFIRM CLARK

Interstate Commerce Commission  
in Danger of Losing Place,  
Owing to Opposition.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Failure of the senate to confirm before the holiday adjournment of congress, December 19, Edward E. Clark, as interstate commerce commissioner, to succeed himself, will create an embarrassing situation, in the opinion of members of the commission.

Commissioner Clark's term will expire January 1 by limitation of law, commissioners holding office for term of seven years or until their successors qualify. Mr. Clark was re-nominated and his nomination is pending in the senate, held up in accordance with the policy adopted at a caucus of Democratic senators.

The commissioners point out that Commissioner Clark will have retired from office before congress reconvenes January 4, leaving the commission with only six members, with several important investigations pending with which Mr. Clark has had much to do. He is commissioner directly in charge of railroad tariffs.

## NEGRO HIGHWAYMEN BEAT THEIR VICTIMS

LIMA, O., Dec. 15.—One man is believed to be dying and seven others are in a critical condition as a result of being beaten up by highwaymen in South Lima early today.

Frank Holly, of Graham, Va., the most seriously injured is said to be fatally hurt.

Fifty men, members of a construction crew, were lined up in their camp by five negro desperadoes. With drawn revolvers the negroes forced the laborers to give up what money they had in their pockets, a total of more than \$400. Holly and seven others who resisted were beaten by the highwaymen, who escaped from the camp on horseback.

## Weather Bulletin.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15.—Indications are that temperatures above the seasonal average will prevail throughout the coming week, according to the weather bureau, with the precipitation generally light and confined principally to the northern border states, the northwest and the Pacific states.

There are indications, says the bulletin, "that near the close of the week the weather will become considerably colder in the northwest."

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## ROCKER

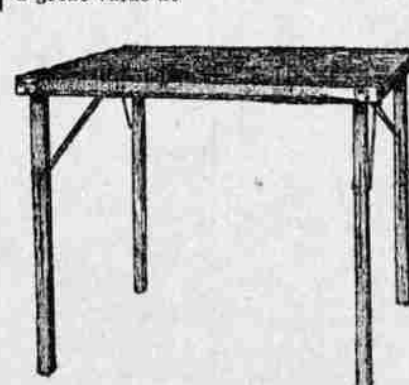
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